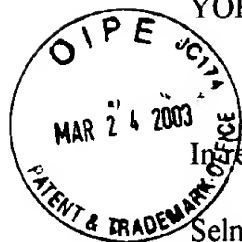


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Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a two-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed October 24, 2002. The Commissioner is authorized to charge Assignee's Deposit Account No. 50-0510 in the amount of \$410.00 to cover the extension fee. A Notice of Appeal responsive to the outstanding Office Action is being filed simultaneously herewith. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

The Commissioner is authorized charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Assignee's Deposit Account No. 50-0510.

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